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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. OHSUGA, et al.
Application No.: 10/673,221
Filed: September 30, 2003
For: SUCTION DEVICE FOR INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE
Art Unit: 3747
Examiner: M. J. Mc Mahon

AMENDMENT

April 18, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages.

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.